Attorney Docket No. P70854US0

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Rudolf RICHTER et al.

Application No. 10/550,593

Group Art Unit: 1647

Filed: September 11, 2006

Examiner: Bridget E. BUNNER

For: USE OF CHEMOKINE RECEPTOR AGONISTS FOR STEM CELL TRANSPLANTATION

### **TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith please find:

- ⊠ Response to Election Requirement
- □ Petition for extension of time
- $\square$  Fee payment  $\square$  Payment Form PTO-2038 (credit card) for \$ is attached.

☐ Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

☐ Small entity status established in connection with the subject application.

	* :				Fee Calcu	lation	-		
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	Nº of Claims	Highest № Paid For			Excess Claims	Small Entity Fee		Large Entity Fee	
Total	*	θ	*	=	0	⊗ \$25 =	\$	⊗ \$50 =	\$
Ind.	*	θ	*	= .	0	⊗ \$105 =	\$	⊗ \$210 =	\$
( ) Multiple Dependent Claims (1st Filing)						⊕ \$185 =		⊕ \$370 =	\$
Excess Claims Fee						\$		\$	
Extension of Time Fee						\$		\$	
Other:	Other:						\$		\$
Total Fee Due							\$0		<b>\$</b> 0

☐ If a petition for extension of time is necessary, but not enclosed, then this acts as the petition. Charge any fees additionally necessary in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

This paper responds to the Office Action mailed July 11, 2008.

Pursuant to the requirement for election of species, Applicants hereby elect species "m," MIP- $1\beta$ , and species "r," leukemias. without traverse. Claims 1-9 read on elected species "m," and claims 1-9 read on elected species "r."

Favorable action is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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